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Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Tony Snow

Statement by the Press Secretary on disaster assistance to Washington

Fact sheet: Extending the President's Tax Relief: A Victory for American Taxpayers

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Transcript of a press gaggle by Press Secretary Tony Snow

Transcript of a press briefing by Department of Homeland Security Deputy Secretary Michael P. Jackson, National Guard Bureau Comptroller Christopher Gardner, and Office of Management and Budget Executive Associate Director Austin Smythe on the President's Supplemental Appropriation Request

Statement by the Press Secretary announcing that the President signed H.J. Res. 83 and S. 1382

Fact sheet: President Requests Funds To Strengthen Border Security

Statement by the Press Secretary: Denial of the Appeal of Egyptian Politician Ayman Nour

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Fact sheet: The American Competitiveness Initiative: A Commitment to Education, Research, and Innovation

**Acts Approved
by the President**

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H.R. 4297 / Public Law 109-222
Tax Increase Prevention and Reconciliation Act of 2005

Approved May 18

H.J. Res. 83 / Public Law 109-223
To memorialize and honor the contribution of Chief Justice William H. Rehnquist.

S. 1382 / Public Law 109-224
To require the Secretary of the Interior to accept the conveyance of certain land, to be held in trust for the benefit of the Puyallup Indian tribe.